

Hi there, this is an interesting question, I definitely think that depending on the issue, both sides are often contradictory in their speech vs. actions.

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A recent issue that comes to mind as being particularly hypocritical though, is the Republican stance as 'pro-life', with lots of recent action on ending Roe v Wade and restricting access to abortion, but being opposed to common sense gun safety regulations that may prevent school shootings and senseless innocent deaths.

user1

Hello. I agree that both parties are at fault for hypocrisy depending on the issue. For example, Republicans believe in "pro-life" but refuse to do any reform in terms of gun control to protect lives of children. Democrats want a green future and make claims of carbon neutrality, but refuse to pass the Green New Deal.

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Cupcake, we had the same idea!

user2

We did! Must mean it's a fairly valid one!

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And I definitely agree that there are issues that Democrats make promises about, but do the opposite when it's politically convenient for them.

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I think there are some concerns about promises made in the last election (by Democrats) around eliminating rigorous voter registration restrictions that have historically made it more difficult for minority voters.

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I agree completely. The public often seems stuck in the wake of stalemate politics with not much being done to provide for a positive future.

user2

I think it's hard when there's absolutely no middle ground on the political stage. I think most Americans fall somewhere in the middle, or are more liberal or conservative on certain issues.

user1

I think a lot of people on both sides would be happy with some healthy compromises instead of all or nothing extremes.

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I also think most politicians will say anything to get elected, and incumbents will give the public a lot in an election year, only for it to dry up post election day.

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This rings true. The two-party system just doesn't work. If there were more parties to vote for, I imagine that we would endure less hypocrisy.

user2